

# Signatures of Axinos and Gravitinos at the ILC

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# Dark Matter in the Universe: Evidence & Candidates

- ? Solar Neighborhood
  - \* Planetary Motions
- Spiral Galaxies
  - \* Rotation Curves
- (Super-) Clusters of Galaxies
  - \* Weak Gravitational Lensing
  - \* Strong Gravitational Lensing
- Large Scale Structure
  - \* Structure Formation
- CMB Anisotropy: WMAP, ...
  - \*  $\Omega_M = 0.27 \pm 0.016$
  - \*  $\Omega_{\text{Tot}} = 1.02 \pm 0.02$
- Dark Baryons
  - \* MACHO's
- Neutrinos
  - \* Neutrino Oscillations
- Axion
  - \* Strong CP Problem
- Lightest SUSY Particle (LSP)
  - ? Neutralino  $\chi \leftarrow \text{MSSM}$
  - ? Gravitino  $\tilde{G} \leftarrow \text{SUGRA}$
  - ? Axino  $\tilde{a} \leftarrow \text{SUSY + PQ-Symm.}$
- ... ?

Top 10 Puzzle: What is the Nature of Cold Dark Matter?

[Nilles, Raby, '82; Tamvakis, Wyler, '82; Kim, Nilles, '84]

# Axino $\leftarrow$ SM + Peccei-Quinn Symmetry + Supersymmetry

- strong CP problem  $\rightarrow$  PQ Mechanism
- hierarchy problem  $\rightarrow$  Supersymmetry



$$\text{axion supermultiplet: } \Phi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\textcolor{blue}{s} + i\textcolor{teal}{a}) + \sqrt{2}\tilde{a}\theta + F_\Phi\theta\theta$$

saxion    axion    axino

- Color Neutral and Electrically Neutral
- Interactions are suppressed by the PQ Scale

$$f_a \gtrsim 5 \times 10^9 \text{ GeV}$$

- Masses after Breaking of PQ Symmetry and SUSY

saxion:  $m_s = \mathcal{O}(\text{TeV}) \leftarrow$  soft-mass term

axion:  $m_a = \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2/f_a \propto 10^{-2} - 10^{-5} \text{ eV} \leftarrow$  chiral anomaly

axino:  $\text{eV} \lesssim m_{\tilde{a}} \lesssim \text{GeV} \leftarrow$  model dependent

Axino  $\rightarrow$  Lightest SUSY Particle  $\rightarrow$  Cold Dark Matter

# Gravitino $\leftarrow$ Supergravity $\leftarrow$ Gauging Supersymmetry

- Gauge Field of Local SUSY Transformations
- Spin 3/2 Superpartner of the Graviton
- Color Neutral and Electrically Neutral
- Interactions are suppressed by the (reduced) Planck scale

$$M_{\text{Pl}} = 2.44 \times 10^{18} \text{ GeV}$$

! Enhancement for small gravitino masses  $m_{\tilde{G}} \leftarrow$  Goldstino

- Mass  $\leftarrow$  Breaking of Supersymmetry  $m_{\tilde{G}} \sim \sum_I \frac{\langle F_I \rangle}{M_{\text{Pl}}} + \sum_A \frac{\langle D_A \rangle}{M_{\text{Pl}}} \sim \frac{M_{\text{SUSY}}^2}{M_{\text{Pl}}}$

gauge-mediated  $m_{\tilde{G}} \sim 10 \text{ eV} - 1 \text{ GeV}$

[Dine, Nelson, Shirman, '95; Dine, Nelson, Nir, Shirman, '96]

gravity-mediated  $m_{\tilde{G}} \sim 0.1 - 1 \text{ TeV}$

cf. [Nilles, '84]

anomaly-mediated  $m_{\tilde{G}} \sim 10 - 100 \text{ TeV}$

[Randall, Sundrum, '99; Giudice, Luty, Murayama, Rattazzi, '98]

Gravitino  $\rightarrow$  Lightest SUSY Particle  $\rightarrow$  Cold Dark Matter

# Axino $\tilde{a}$

- SM + PQ Mechanism + SUSY
  - \* hierarchy problem
  - \* strong CP problem
- Spin 1/2 Partner of the Axion
- Interactions: model-dependent,  
suppr. by the Peccei–Quinn scale  
 $f_a \gtrsim 5 \times 10^9 \text{ GeV}$
- Interactions are independent of  $m_{\tilde{a}}$
- Mass: wide range, depends on the  
model & SUSY breaking scheme  
 $eV \lesssim m_{\tilde{a}} \lesssim \text{GeV}$

# Gravitino $\tilde{G}$

- SM + local SUSY (SUGRA)
  - \* hierarchy problem
  - \* gravity
- Spin 3/2 Partner of the Graviton
- Interactions: model-independent,  
suppressed by the Planck scale  
 $M_{\text{Pl}} = 2.44 \times 10^{18} \text{ GeV}$
- Interactions depend on  $m_{\tilde{G}}$
- Mass: wide range, depends on  
the SUSY breaking scheme  
 $eV \lesssim m_{\tilde{G}} \lesssim \text{TeV}$

# Axinos/Gravitinos $\stackrel{?}{=}$ Dominant Part of Cold Dark Matter

□ Assumption: Axino/Gravitino = LSP & stable  $\leftarrow$  R-parity conservation

? Relic LSP Abundance  $\leftarrow$  Cosmic Scenario & Production Mechanisms

$$\Omega_{\text{LSP}} h^2 = \rho_{\text{LSP}} h^2 / \rho_c = m_{\text{LSP}} n_{\text{LSP}} h^2 / \rho_c \quad \longleftrightarrow^? \quad \Omega_{\text{CDM}}^{\text{WMAP}} h^2 = 0.113^{+0.016}_{-0.018}$$

? Mass of the LSP (& NLSP)  $\leftarrow$  SUSY Breaking Scheme & Model

How COLD is Axino/Gravitino Dark Matter?  $\rightarrow$  Structure Formation

? Cosmological Constraints  $\leftarrow$  NLSP Decays: photons & hadronic showers

- Abundances of Primordial D,  ${}^3\text{He}$ ,  ${}^4\text{He}$ ,  ${}^6\text{Li}$ ,  ${}^7\text{Li}$
- Cosmic Microwave Background (CMB)
- Diffuse X-Ray and  $\gamma$ -Ray Backgrounds

[Kim, '79; Shifman, Vainshtein, Zakharov, '80]

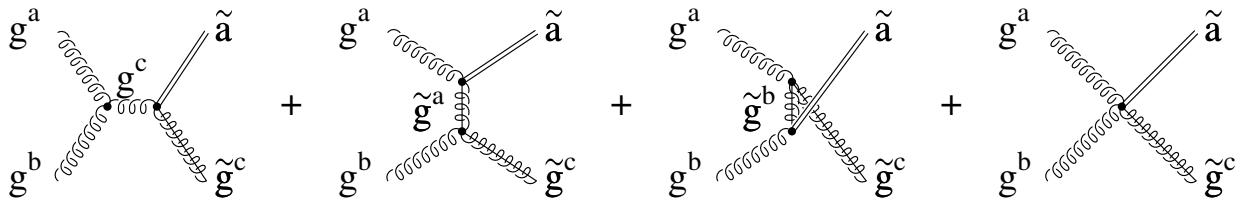
## Axino Interactions ← Hadronic (KSVZ) Axion Models

- axino–gluino–gluon interaction:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\tilde{a}\tilde{g}g} = i \frac{\alpha_s}{16\pi(f_a/N)} \bar{\tilde{a}} \gamma_5 [\gamma^\mu, \gamma^\nu] \tilde{g}^a G_{\mu\nu}^a$$

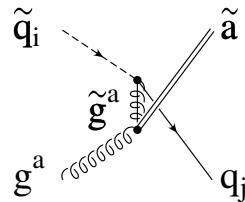
# Thermal Axino Production in SUSY QCD

- A:  $g^a + g^b \rightarrow \tilde{g}^c + \tilde{a}$



- B:  $g^a + \tilde{g}^b \rightarrow g^c + \tilde{a}$  (crossing of A)

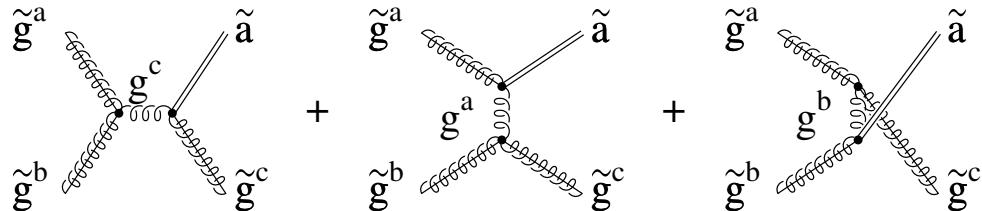
- C:  $\tilde{q}_i + g^a \rightarrow \tilde{q}_j + \tilde{a}$



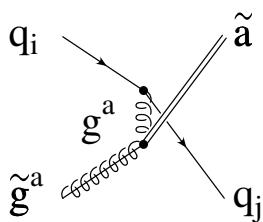
- D:  $g^a + q_i \rightarrow \tilde{q}_j + \tilde{a}$  (crossing of C)

- E:  $\bar{\tilde{q}}_i + q_j \rightarrow g^a + \tilde{a}$  (crossing of C)

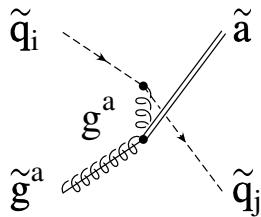
- F:  $\tilde{g}^a + \tilde{g}^b \rightarrow \tilde{g}^c + \tilde{a}$



- G:  $q_i + \tilde{g}^a \rightarrow q_j + \tilde{a}$



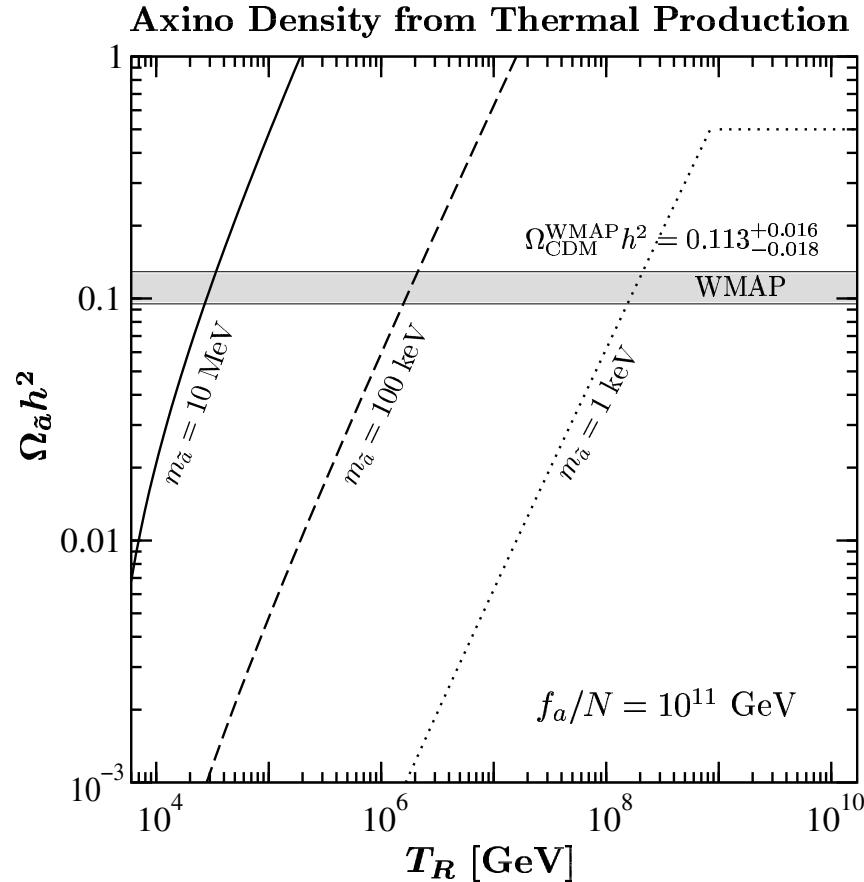
- H:  $\tilde{q}_i + \tilde{g}^a \rightarrow \tilde{q}_j + \tilde{a}$



- I:  $q_i + \bar{q}_j \rightarrow \tilde{g}^a + \tilde{a}$  (crossing of G)

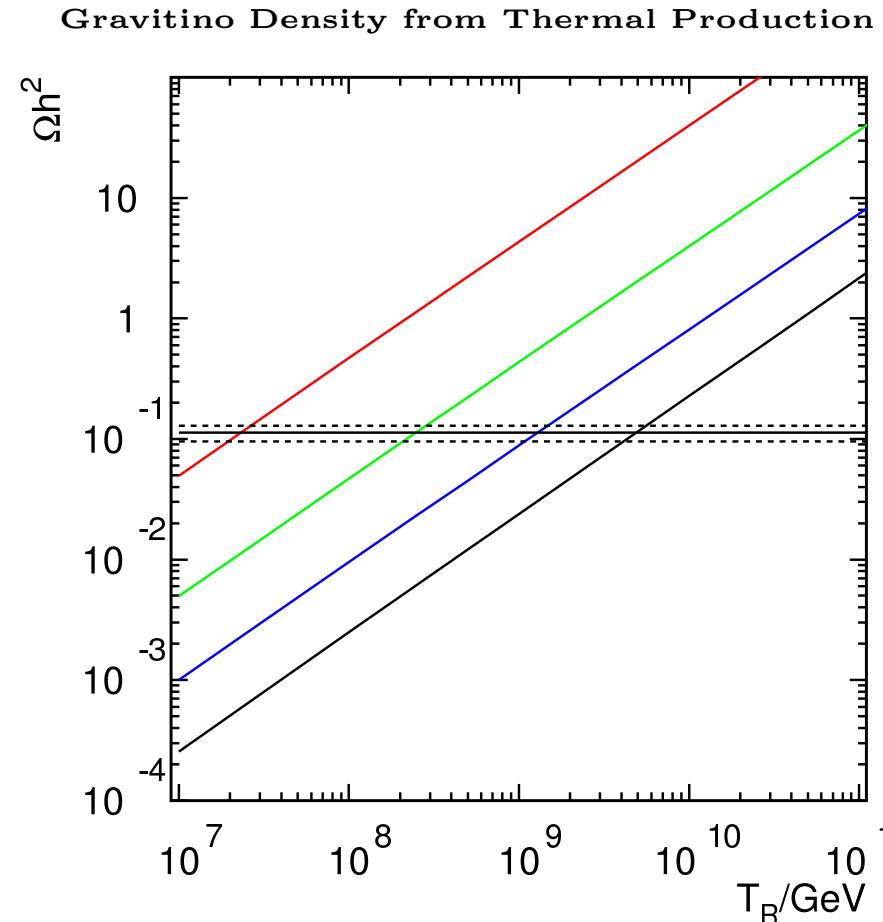
- J:  $\tilde{q}_i + \bar{\tilde{q}}_j \rightarrow \tilde{g}^a + \tilde{a}$  (crossing of H)

# Axino/Gravitino Dark Matter from Thermal Production



$$\Omega_{\tilde{a}} h^2 \propto \frac{1}{f_a^2} m_{\tilde{a}} T_R$$

[...; Brandenburg, FDS, '04]



$$\Omega_{\tilde{G}} h^2 \propto \frac{1}{M_{\text{Pl}}^2} \left( 1 + \frac{m_{\tilde{g}}^2}{3m_{\tilde{G}}^2} \right) m_{\tilde{G}} T_R$$

[...; Bolz, Brandenburg, Buchmüller, '01]

# Decays of the Next-to-Lightest Supersymmetric Particle

- Next-to-Lightest Supersymmetric Particle (NLSP)
    - Candidates  $\in$  MSSM:
      - Neutralino  $\tilde{\chi}^0$
      - Slepton  $\tilde{l}$
      - Sneutrino  $\tilde{\nu}$
      - ...
    - Decoupling Temperature  $T_D^{\text{NLSP}} \ll T_D^{\tilde{a}/\tilde{G}}$   $\leftarrow$  NLSP  $\in$  MSSM
    - Lifetime  $\tau_{\text{NLSP}} = \text{very long}$   $\leftarrow$   $\tilde{a}/\tilde{G} = \text{LSP}$
  - Implications of NLSP Decays
    - Axino/Gravitino Dark Matter from NLSP Decays
    - Cosmological Constraints from Late NLSP Decays
    - Cosmological Implications of Late NLSP Decays
    - ...

Can we probe

Axino/Gravitino Dark Matter

in experiments?

# Signatures of Axinos/Gravitinos in Experiments

- Direct Detection of  $\tilde{a}/\tilde{G}$
- Direct Production of  $\tilde{a}/\tilde{G}$
- \* **Decays of charged  $\tilde{l}$  NLSP's at the International Linear Collider**

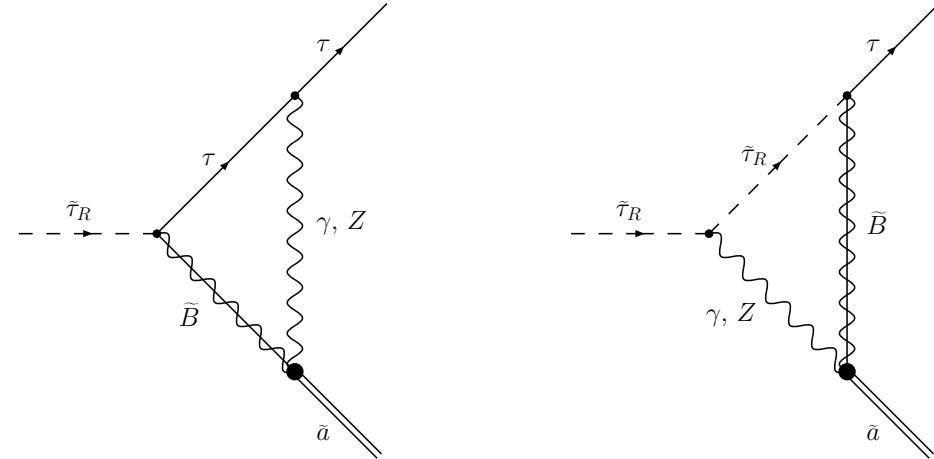
[... ; Hamaguchi, Kuno, Nakaya, Nojiri, '04; Feng, Smith, '05]

[Brandenburg, Covi, Hamaguchi, Roszkowski, FDS, '05]

# $\tilde{a}$ LSP → Probing the Peccei–Quinn Scale $f_a$ & $m_{\tilde{a}}$ at Collider

- Assumption:  $\tilde{\tau}_R$  NLSP &  $\tilde{\chi}^0 \simeq \tilde{B}$

- 2-Body Decay  $\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau + \tilde{a}$



$$\Gamma(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \tilde{a}) \simeq \xi^2 (25 \text{ sec})^{-1} C_{aYY}^2 \left(1 - \frac{m_{\tilde{a}}^2}{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2}\right) \left(\frac{m_{\tilde{\tau}}}{100 \text{ GeV}}\right) \left(\frac{10^{11} \text{ GeV}}{f_a}\right)^2 \left(\frac{m_{\tilde{B}}}{100 \text{ GeV}}\right)$$

- Peccei–Quinn Scale  $f_a$  ← NLSP Lifetime  $\tau_{\tilde{\tau}} \approx 1/\Gamma(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \tilde{a})$

$$f_a^2 \simeq \left(\frac{\tau_{\tilde{\tau}}}{25 \text{ sec}}\right) \xi^2 C_{aYY}^2 \left(1 - \frac{m_{\tilde{a}}^2}{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2}\right) \left(\frac{m_{\tilde{\tau}}}{100 \text{ GeV}}\right) \left(\frac{m_{\tilde{B}}}{100 \text{ GeV}}\right)^2 (10^{11} \text{ GeV})^2$$

- Axino Mass  $m_{\tilde{a}} = \sqrt{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2 + m_{\tau}^2 - 2m_{\tilde{\tau}}E_{\tau}}$  ← Kinematics

[Kim, '79; Shifman, Vainshtein, Zakharov, '80]

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- axino–bino–photon/Z-boson interaction:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\tilde{a}\tilde{B}\gamma/Z} = i \frac{\alpha_Y C_{aYY}}{16\pi f_a} \bar{\tilde{a}} \gamma_5 [\gamma_\mu, \gamma_\nu] \tilde{B} (\cos \theta_W F_{\mu\nu} - \sin \theta_W Z_{\mu\nu})$$

[Cremmer, Ferrara, Girardello, Van Proeyen, '83]

## Gravitino Interactions    ←    Supergravity Lagrangian

- gravitino–slepton–lepton interaction:

$$\mathcal{L}_{l\tilde{l}\tilde{G}} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2} M_{Pl}} \partial_\nu \tilde{l} \bar{l} \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \psi_\mu$$

- gravitino–slepton–lepton–gauge boson interaction:

$$\mathcal{L}_{l\tilde{l}V\tilde{G}} = i \frac{g_V}{\sqrt{2} M_{Pl}} A_\nu \tilde{l} \bar{l} \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \psi_\mu$$

- gravitino–gaugino–gauge boson interaction:

$$\mathcal{L}_{V\lambda\tilde{G}} = -i \frac{1}{8 M_{Pl}} \bar{\psi}_\mu [\gamma_\nu, \gamma_\rho] \gamma^\mu \lambda F_{\mu\nu}$$

[Buchmüller, Hamaguchi, Ratz, Yanagida, '04]

# $\tilde{G}$ LSP → Measuring the Planck Scale $M_{\text{Pl}}$ & $m_{\tilde{G}}$ at Colliders

- Assumption:  $\tilde{\tau}_R$  NLSP

- 2-Body Decay     $\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau + \tilde{G}$

$$\Gamma(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \tilde{G}) = \frac{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^5}{48\pi m_{\tilde{G}}^2 M_{\text{Pl}}^2} \left(1 - \frac{m_{\tilde{G}}^2}{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2}\right)^4 = \frac{1}{5.89 \text{ sec}} \left(\frac{m_{\tilde{\tau}}}{100 \text{ GeV}}\right)^5 \left(\frac{10 \text{ MeV}}{m_{\tilde{G}}}\right)^2 \left(1 - \frac{m_{\tilde{G}}^2}{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2}\right)^4$$

- Planck Scale  $M_{\text{Pl}}$       ←      NLSP Lifetime     $\tau_{\tilde{\tau}} \approx 1/\Gamma(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \tilde{G})$

$$M_{\text{Pl}}^2 = \frac{\tau_{\tilde{\tau}}}{48\pi} \frac{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^5}{m_{\tilde{G}}^2} \left(1 - \frac{m_{\tilde{G}}^2}{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2}\right)^4 \quad \xleftrightarrow{\text{???}} \quad M_{\text{Pl}}^2 = \frac{1}{8\pi G_N} = (2.44 \times 10^{18} \text{ GeV})^2$$

- Gravitino Mass  $m_{\tilde{G}} = \sqrt{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2 + m_{\tau}^2 - 2m_{\tilde{\tau}}E_{\tau}}$     ←      Kinematics

# Can one distinguish between the $\tilde{a}/\tilde{G}$ LSP Scenarios?

- Lifetime of the NLSP

←

Assumption:  $\tilde{\tau}_R = \text{NLSP}$  &  $\tilde{\chi}^0 \approx \tilde{B}$

$$\tilde{a} = \text{LSP}$$

$$\tilde{G} = \text{LSP}$$

$$\tau_{\tilde{\tau}}^{\tilde{a} \text{ LSP}} \leftarrow m_{\tilde{\tau}}, m_{\tilde{B}}, m_{\tilde{a}}, f_a$$

$$\tau_{\tilde{\tau}}^{\tilde{G} \text{ LSP}} \leftarrow m_{\tilde{\tau}}, m_{\tilde{B}}, m_{\tilde{G}}$$

$$\mathcal{O}(0.01 \text{ sec}) \lesssim \tau_{\tilde{\tau}}^{\tilde{a} \text{ LSP}} \lesssim \mathcal{O}(10 \text{ h})$$

↑

$$f_a \sim 10^9 \text{ GeV}$$

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$$f_a \sim 10^{12} \text{ GeV}$$

$$\mathcal{O}(10^{-8} \text{ sec}) \lesssim \tau_{\tilde{\tau}}^{\tilde{G} \text{ LSP}} \lesssim \mathcal{O}(15 \text{ y})$$

↑

$$m_{\tilde{G}} \sim 1 \text{ keV}$$

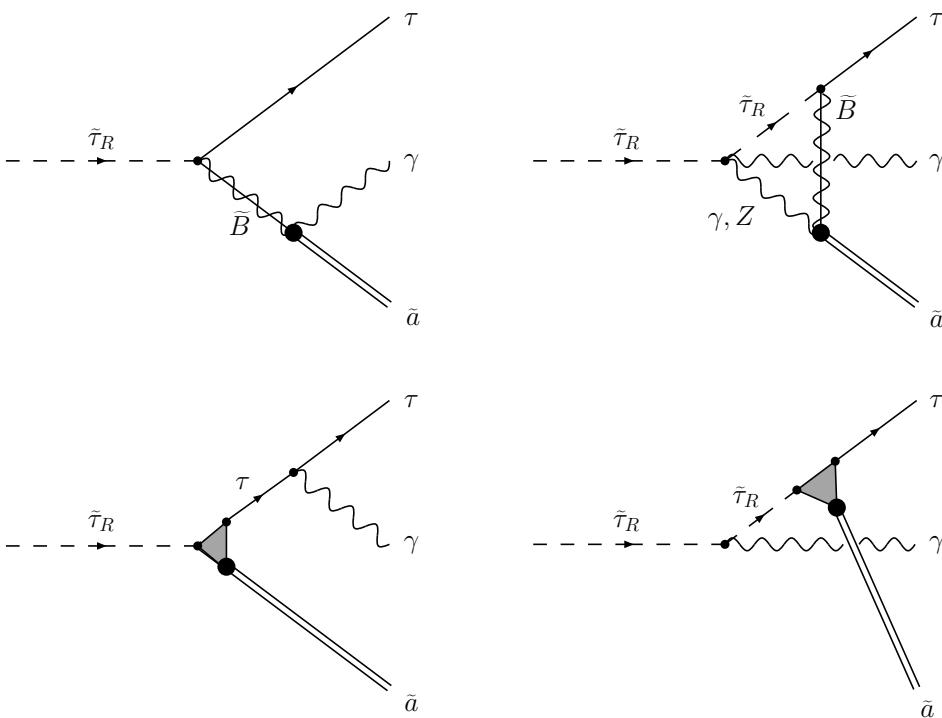
↑

$$m_{\tilde{G}} \sim 50 \text{ GeV}$$

Very Short/Very Long Lived NLSP →  $\tilde{G}$  LSP Scenario

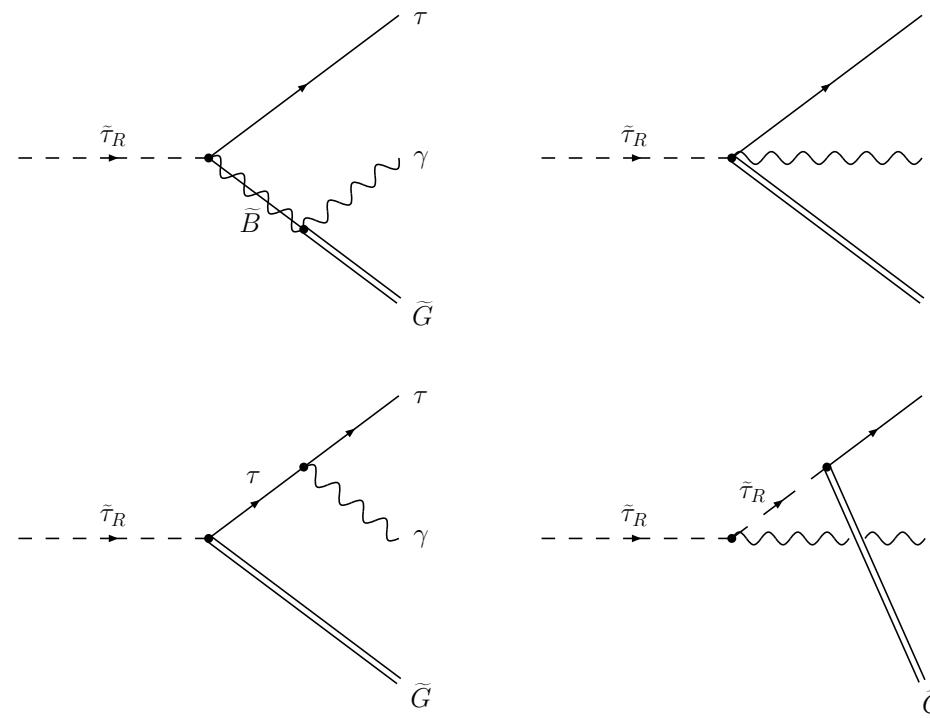
# The 3-Body Decays

$$\tilde{a} = \text{LSP}: \quad \tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau + \gamma + \tilde{a}$$



$$\frac{d^2\Gamma(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma \tilde{a})}{dx_\gamma d \cos \theta} = \dots$$

$$\tilde{G} = \text{LSP}: \quad \tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau + \gamma + \tilde{G}$$



$$\frac{d^2\Gamma(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma \tilde{G})}{dx_\gamma d \cos \theta} = \dots$$

# $\tilde{a}$ LSP $\rightarrow$ The Differential Decay Rate for $\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau + \gamma + \tilde{a}$

$$\frac{d^2\Gamma(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma \tilde{a})}{dx_\gamma d\cos\theta} = \frac{m_{\tilde{\tau}}}{512\pi^3} \frac{x_\gamma(1 - A_{\tilde{a}} - x_\gamma)}{[1 - (x_\gamma/2)(1 - \cos\theta)]^2} \sum_{\text{spins}} |\mathcal{M}(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma \tilde{a})|^2 ,$$

where

$$\sum_{\text{spins}} |\mathcal{M}(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma \tilde{a})|^2 = \frac{\alpha^3 C_{a\text{YY}}^2}{\pi \cos^4 \theta_W} \frac{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2}{f_a^2} F_{\text{diff}}^{(\tilde{a})}(x_\gamma, \cos\theta, A_{\tilde{a}}, A_{\tilde{B}}) ,$$

with

$$x_\gamma \equiv \frac{2E_\gamma}{m_{\tilde{\tau}}} , \quad A_{\tilde{a}} \equiv \frac{m_{\tilde{a}}^2}{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2} , \quad A_{\tilde{B}} \equiv \frac{m_{\tilde{B}}^2}{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2} ,$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} F_{\text{diff}}^{(\tilde{a})}(x_\gamma, \cos\theta, A_{\tilde{a}}, A_{\tilde{B}}) &= \frac{x_\gamma^2(1 - A_{\tilde{a}} - x_\gamma)[1 + \cos\theta + A_{\tilde{a}}(1 - \cos\theta)][1 + \cos\theta + A_{\tilde{B}}(1 - \cos\theta)]}{\{x_\gamma(1 + \cos\theta) + 2A_{\tilde{a}} - A_{\tilde{B}}[2 - x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)]\}^2} \\ &+ \frac{3\alpha}{\pi \cos^2 \theta_W} \xi \log\left(\frac{f_a}{m}\right) \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{A_{\tilde{a}} A_{\tilde{B}}}(1 + \cos\theta)(1 - A_{\tilde{a}} - x_\gamma)}{x_\gamma(1 + \cos\theta) + 2A_{\tilde{a}} - A_{\tilde{B}}[2 - x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)]} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{A_{\tilde{B}} [(1 + \cos\theta)(1 - A_{\tilde{a}}) + A_{\tilde{a}}x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)]}{x_\gamma(1 + \cos\theta) + 2A_{\tilde{a}} - A_{\tilde{B}}[2 - x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)]} \right\} \\ &+ \frac{9\alpha^2}{4\pi^2 \cos^4 \theta_W} \xi^2 \log^2\left(\frac{f_a}{m}\right) A_{\tilde{B}} \left\{ \frac{1 + \cos\theta + A_{\tilde{a}}(1 - \cos\theta)}{(1 - \cos\theta)(1 - A_{\tilde{a}} - x_\gamma)} + \frac{2(1 + \cos\theta)(1 - A_{\tilde{a}})}{x_\gamma^2(1 - \cos\theta)} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

# $\tilde{G}$ LSP $\rightarrow$ Diff. Decay Rate $\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau + \gamma + \tilde{G}$

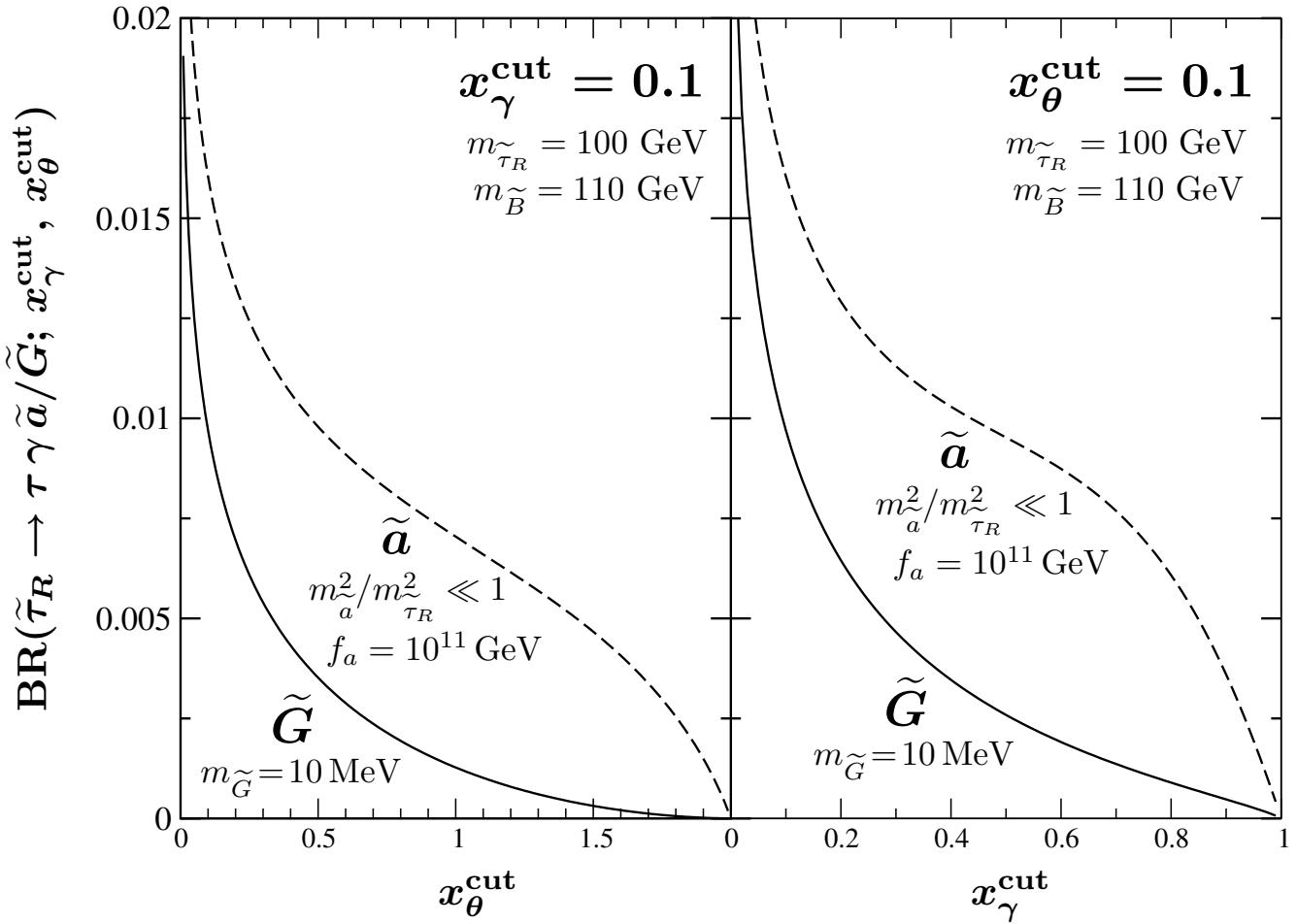
$$\frac{d^2\Gamma(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma \tilde{G})}{dx_\gamma d\cos\theta} = \frac{m_{\tilde{\tau}}}{512\pi^3} \frac{x_\gamma(1 - A_{\tilde{G}} - x_\gamma)}{[1 - (x_\gamma/2)(1 - \cos\theta)]^2} \sum_{\text{spins}} |\mathcal{M}(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma \tilde{G})|^2,$$

where  $\sum_{\text{spins}} |\mathcal{M}(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma \tilde{G})|^2 = \frac{8\pi\alpha}{3} \frac{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2}{M_{\text{Pl}}^2 A_{\tilde{G}}} F_{\text{diff}}^{(\tilde{G})}(x_\gamma, \cos\theta, A_{\tilde{G}}, A_{\tilde{B}})$

with  $x_\gamma \equiv \frac{2E_\gamma}{m_{\tilde{\tau}}}$ ,  $A_{\tilde{a}} \equiv \frac{m_{\tilde{a}}^2}{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2}$ ,  $A_{\tilde{B}} \equiv \frac{m_{\tilde{B}}^2}{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2}$ ,  $A_{\tilde{G}} \equiv \frac{m_{\tilde{G}}^2}{m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} F_{\text{diff}}^{(\tilde{G})}(x_\gamma, \cos\theta, A_{\tilde{G}}, A_{\tilde{B}}) = & -3A_{\tilde{G}}^2 - 7x_\gamma A_{\tilde{G}} + \frac{2(2 - 5\cos\theta)A_{\tilde{G}}}{1 - \cos\theta} - \frac{x_\gamma(1 + \cos\theta)}{(1 - \cos\theta)} \\ & - \frac{(1 + \cos\theta)(3 + \cos\theta)}{(1 - \cos\theta)^2} + \frac{2(1 - A_{\tilde{G}})^3(1 + \cos\theta)}{x_\gamma^2(1 - \cos\theta)} + \frac{A_{\tilde{G}}(1 - A_{\tilde{G}})^2}{1 - A_{\tilde{G}} - x_\gamma} \\ & + \frac{(1 - A_{\tilde{G}})^2(1 + \cos\theta)}{(1 - A_{\tilde{G}} - x_\gamma)(1 - \cos\theta)} - \frac{4[1 + \cos\theta + A_{\tilde{G}}(1 - \cos\theta)]^2}{[2 - x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)]^2(1 - \cos\theta)^2} \\ & + \frac{2\{3 + \cos\theta[4 - \cos\theta + 2A_{\tilde{G}}(1 - \cos\theta)]\}[1 + \cos\theta + A_{\tilde{G}}(1 - \cos\theta)]}{[2 - x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)](1 - \cos\theta)^2} \\ & + 2(1 - A_{\tilde{G}} - x_\gamma)\left\{ \frac{1 + x_\gamma - x_\gamma^2 - 2A_{\tilde{G}}(1 + 3x_\gamma - 2x_\gamma^2) + A_{\tilde{G}}^2(1 + 5x_\gamma)}{x_\gamma(1 - A_{\tilde{B}})(1 - A_{\tilde{G}} - x_\gamma)} \right. \\ & - \frac{2[1 + x_\gamma(2 + A_{\tilde{B}}) - x_\gamma^2 + 2A_{\tilde{G}}(1 - x_\gamma)]}{x_\gamma[2 - x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)]} + \frac{4(1 - A_{\tilde{G}} - x_\gamma)}{[2 - x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)]^2} \\ & - \frac{\sqrt{A_{\tilde{B}}A_{\tilde{G}}}[2(1 + \cos\theta)(1 - A_{\tilde{G}}) + 3x_\gamma A_{\tilde{G}}(1 - \cos\theta)]}{x_\gamma(1 + \cos\theta) + 2(A_{\tilde{G}} - A_{\tilde{B}}) + A_{\tilde{B}}x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)} \\ & - \frac{2\{A_{\tilde{G}}^2[-3 - 6x_\gamma + A_{\tilde{B}}(2 + x_\gamma)] + 4A_{\tilde{B}}A_{\tilde{G}}(1 + x_\gamma - x_\gamma^2)\}}{x_\gamma(1 - A_{\tilde{B}})[x_\gamma(1 + \cos\theta) + 2(A_{\tilde{G}} - A_{\tilde{B}}) + A_{\tilde{B}}x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)]} \\ & + \frac{2A_{\tilde{B}}^2[(1 - x_\gamma)(1 + 2A_{\tilde{G}} + x_\gamma) + x_\gamma A_{\tilde{B}}]}{x_\gamma(1 - A_{\tilde{B}})[x_\gamma(1 + \cos\theta) + 2(A_{\tilde{G}} - A_{\tilde{B}}) + A_{\tilde{B}}x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)]}\Big\} \\ & +(1 - A_{\tilde{G}} - x_\gamma)\left\{ \frac{(-1 + 3A_{\tilde{G}})(1 - A_{\tilde{G}})}{(1 - A_{\tilde{B}})} + \frac{2[2 - x_\gamma - 2(A_{\tilde{G}} - A_{\tilde{B}})]}{2 - x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)} \right. \\ & - \frac{4(1 - A_{\tilde{G}} - x_\gamma)}{[2 - x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)]^2} - \frac{2(A_{\tilde{G}} - A_{\tilde{B}})[3A_{\tilde{G}}(2 - 2A_{\tilde{G}} - x_\gamma) + A_{\tilde{B}}(2 - 2A_{\tilde{B}} + x_\gamma)]}{(1 - A_{\tilde{B}})[x_\gamma(1 + \cos\theta) + 2(A_{\tilde{G}} - A_{\tilde{B}}) + A_{\tilde{B}}x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)]} \\ & + \frac{4(1 - A_{\tilde{G}} - x_\gamma)(3A_{\tilde{G}} + A_{\tilde{B}})(A_{\tilde{G}} - A_{\tilde{B}})^2}{(1 - A_{\tilde{B}})[x_\gamma(1 + \cos\theta) + 2(A_{\tilde{G}} - A_{\tilde{B}}) + A_{\tilde{B}}x_\gamma(1 - \cos\theta)]^2}\Big\} \end{aligned}$$

## Branching Ratios of $\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma \tilde{a}/\tilde{G}$ with Cuts



- Branching Ratio of the Integrated Rate with Cuts

$$\text{BR}(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma i; x_\gamma^{\text{cut}}, x_\theta^{\text{cut}}) \equiv \frac{\Gamma(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma i; x_\gamma^{\text{cut}}, x_\theta^{\text{cut}})}{\Gamma_{\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow i X}^{\text{total}}}$$

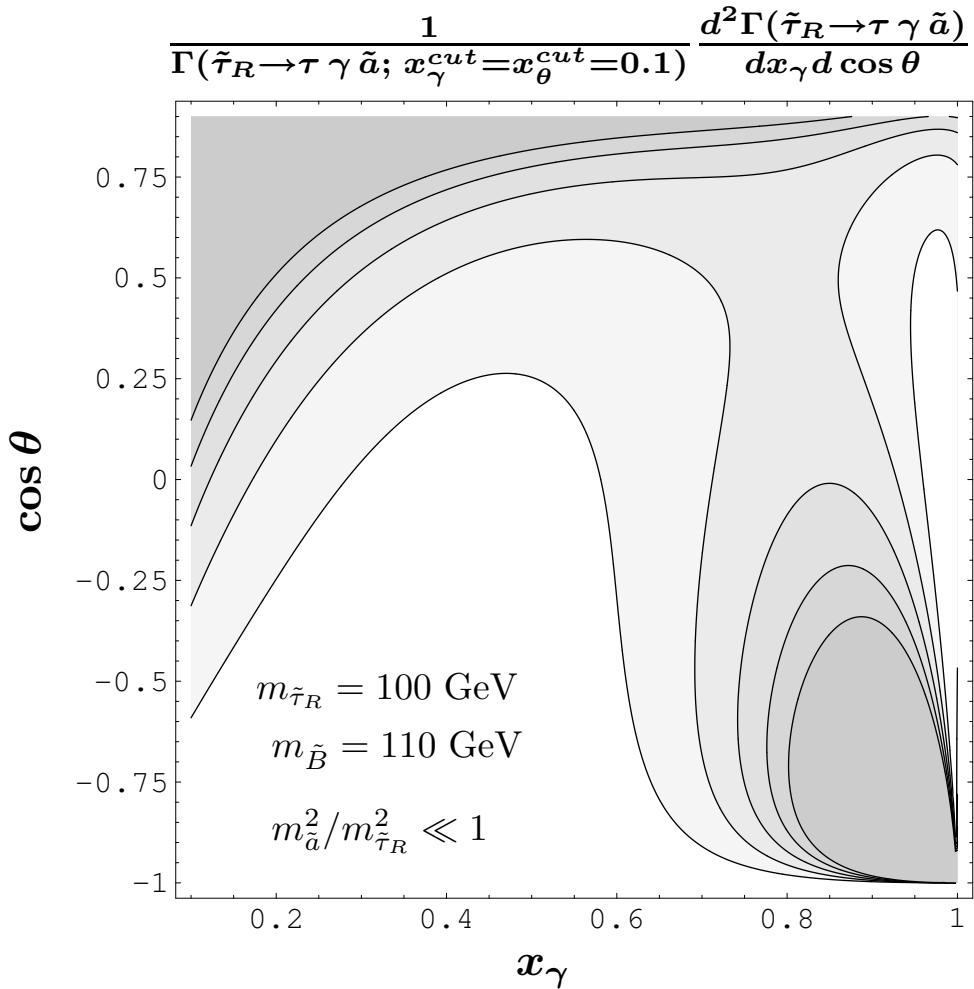
- Integrated Rate  $\leftarrow$  Cuts on  $x_\gamma = 2 E_\gamma / m_{\tilde{\tau}}$  &  $\cos \theta$

$$\Gamma(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma i; x_\gamma^{\text{cut}}, x_\theta^{\text{cut}}) = \int_{x_\gamma^{\text{cut}}}^{1-A_i} dx_\gamma \int_{-1}^{1-x_\theta^{\text{cut}}} d \cos \theta \frac{d^2 \Gamma(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau \gamma i)}{dx_\gamma d \cos \theta}$$

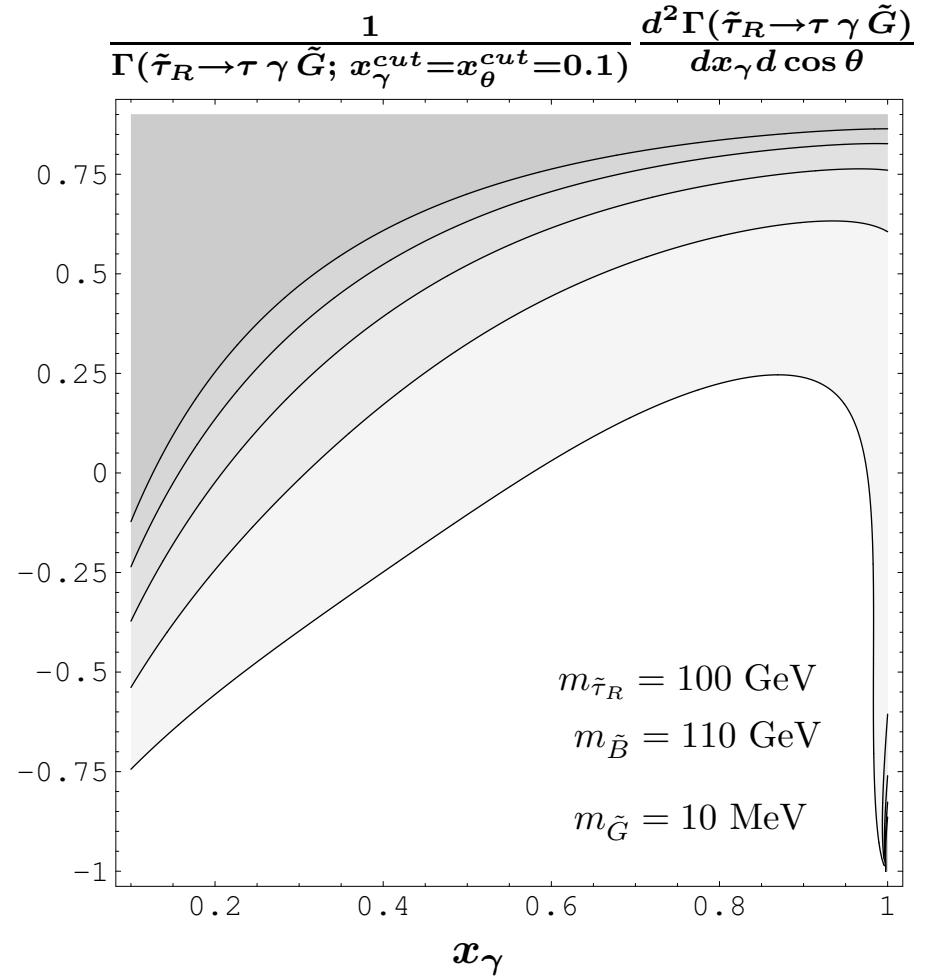
- Total Decay Rate of the Stau NLSP  $\leftarrow$  2-Body Decay

$$\Gamma_{\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow i X}^{\text{total}} \simeq \Gamma(\tilde{\tau}_R \rightarrow \tau i), \quad i = \tilde{a}, \tilde{G}$$

## Axino LSP Scenario



## Gravitino LSP Scenario



Differential Distribution of the Visible Decay Products

[Buchmüller, Hamaguchi, Ratz, Yanagida, '04]

Polarizations of  $\tau$  and  $\gamma$      $\longrightarrow$     Spin of the LSP

# Conclusion

? What is the Nature of Cold Dark Matter ?  $\leftarrow$  Thermal Production of  $\tilde{a}/\tilde{G}$ 's

**Axino LSP**  $\leftarrow$  SM + PQ + SUSY

$\tilde{a}$  CDM  $\leftarrow (m_{\tilde{a}}, T_R) \approx (100 \text{ keV}, 10^6 \text{ GeV})$

$\tilde{a}$  WDM  $\leftarrow (m_{\tilde{a}}, T_R) \approx (100 \text{ eV}, 10^{10} \text{ GeV})$

**Gravitino LSP**  $\leftarrow$  SM + local SUSY

$\tilde{G}$  CDM  $\leftarrow (m_{\tilde{G}}, T_R) \approx (10 \text{ MeV}, 10^6 \text{ GeV})$

$\tilde{G}$  CDM  $\leftarrow (m_{\tilde{G}}, T_R) \approx (100 \text{ GeV}, 10^{10} \text{ GeV})$

! Probing the  $\tilde{a}/\tilde{G}$  LSP Scenarios at the ILC  $\leftarrow$  Assumption:  $\tilde{\tau} = \text{NLSP}$  !

**Axino LSP:**  $\tilde{\tau} \rightarrow \tau + \tilde{a}$

\* Estimate of the Peccei-Quinn Scale  $f_a$

\* Measurement of the Axino Mass  $m_{\tilde{a}}$

**Gravitino LSP:**  $\tilde{\tau} \rightarrow \tau + \tilde{G}$

\* Measurement of the Planck Scale  $M_{\text{Pl}}$

\* Measurement of the Gravitino Mass  $m_{\tilde{G}}$

! Identifying the LSP Scenario at the ILC  $\leftarrow \tilde{\tau} \rightarrow \tau + \gamma + \tilde{a}/\tilde{G}$  !

\* Branching Ratio

\* Differential Distribution

\*  $\tau$  &  $\gamma$  Polarizations:  $\tilde{a}/\tilde{G}$  Spin

## Outlook

# International Linear Collider

- $\tilde{a}/\tilde{G}$  LSP
- $\tilde{\tau}$  NLSP
- Analysis of  $\tilde{\tau}$  Decays

## Nature of Cold Dark Matter

Axino  $\tilde{a}$

Gravitino  $\tilde{G}$

Peccei–Quinn Mechanism

↓  
No Strong CP Problem

Supergravity

↓  
String Theory

Proving the Existence of